

ELEVEN PLOTTERS AGAINST ALLIES GIVEN MAXIMUM

Reputed Member of German War Staff and Ten Others Sent to Federal Prison.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—Franz Von Rintelen, German naval officer and a reputed member of the German war staff, was found guilty with ten other defendants in Federal court yesterday of conspiracy to destroy food and munitions ships of the entente allies by placing "fire bombs" in their cargoes. Judge Howe immediately imposed the maximum penalty of eighteen months imprisonment in the Federal Penitentiary at Atlanta and a fine of \$2,000 on each of the prisoners.

"Plea of lack of proof, sickness, recent marriage and ignorance of the laws of this country," Judge Howe said, "will not influence this court in imposing sentence. These men have been found guilty by an impartial jury of American citizens and the crime calls for the severest penalty. I regret that it is not more severe."

In instances where the defendants now are serving sentences under previous convictions the present penalty will take effect when the term of the first punishment expires. This applies to Von Rintelen, who was convicted last spring of conspiracy to cause strikes in munitions plants and was given two years and six months at Atlanta.

Others convicted today follow: Capt. Otto Wolpert, former superintendent of the Atlas line pier, which was operated by the Hamburg-American Steamship company.

Karl Von Kliest, formerly a sea captain and an American citizen, was a partner of Walter P. Scheele in the latter's chemical plant in Hoboken, N. J. Dr. Scheele is missing and Von Kliest is said to have aided him in putting combustibles into fire bombs.

Ernest Becker, an electrician on the North German Lloyd liner Frederick Der Grosse, who was accused of having made the bombs and carried them to the pier of the Atlas line.

Friedrich Wilhelm Karbade, Wilhelm Parades and George Praedel, assistant engineers and the Friedrich Der Grosse who helped in making the bombs, it was charged.

Eugene Reister, assistant manager of the Labor Lyceum in Brooklyn, where the conspirators are alleged to have met, who was accused of having been a "go-between" for Karl Schimmel. He is a naturalized citizen.

Walter Uhde, a German, and Bonford Boniface and Joseph Zeffert, American citizens, accused of being messengers for the arch conspirators.

FARMERS TO MEET AT LYNN FEB. 22

LYNN, Ind., Feb. 8.—The Farmers' Institute, which was to have been held several weeks ago but was postponed on account of bad weather, will be held Friday, February 22. Miss Sadie Horn is having a vacation on account of the shortage of fuel in the Spartansburg school. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Thorn left the first of the week for Cleveland, O., where they will attend Bible school. The Ladies' aid of the M. E. church met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Carl Bowen. The members took their needles and spent the afternoon in Red Cross sewing. The Messenger Society of the Friends church met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Oscar McCanless. Mrs. John Chenoweth has been seriously ill at her home since last Friday. The first car for hog shipping received in Lynn for some time was loaded Friday by Hinshaw and Studly. Farmers have been unable to sell their hogs and were feeding at a loss during the bad weather. A number have been hauling to Winchester to get them shipped. School was dismissed Monday to allow the teachers to attend a county meeting at Winchester.

Quebec is Voted Dry

QUEBEC, Feb. 8.—Under what was virtually a threat of the resignation of the government, Sir Lomer Gouin succeeded in the assembly yesterday in having "bone-dry" prohibition for the province of Quebec carried unanimously. A caucus of the liberal members two weeks ago gave the government a free hand in the matter of the liquor traffic. The government thereupon introduced a bill for total prohibition and the prime minister insisted that the members accept it or express want of confidence in the government.

Oklahoma lead and zinc will be mined by the Ken-Tex Mining Co., Miami, Okla., incorporated with \$200,000 capital.

IT'S A MISTAKE

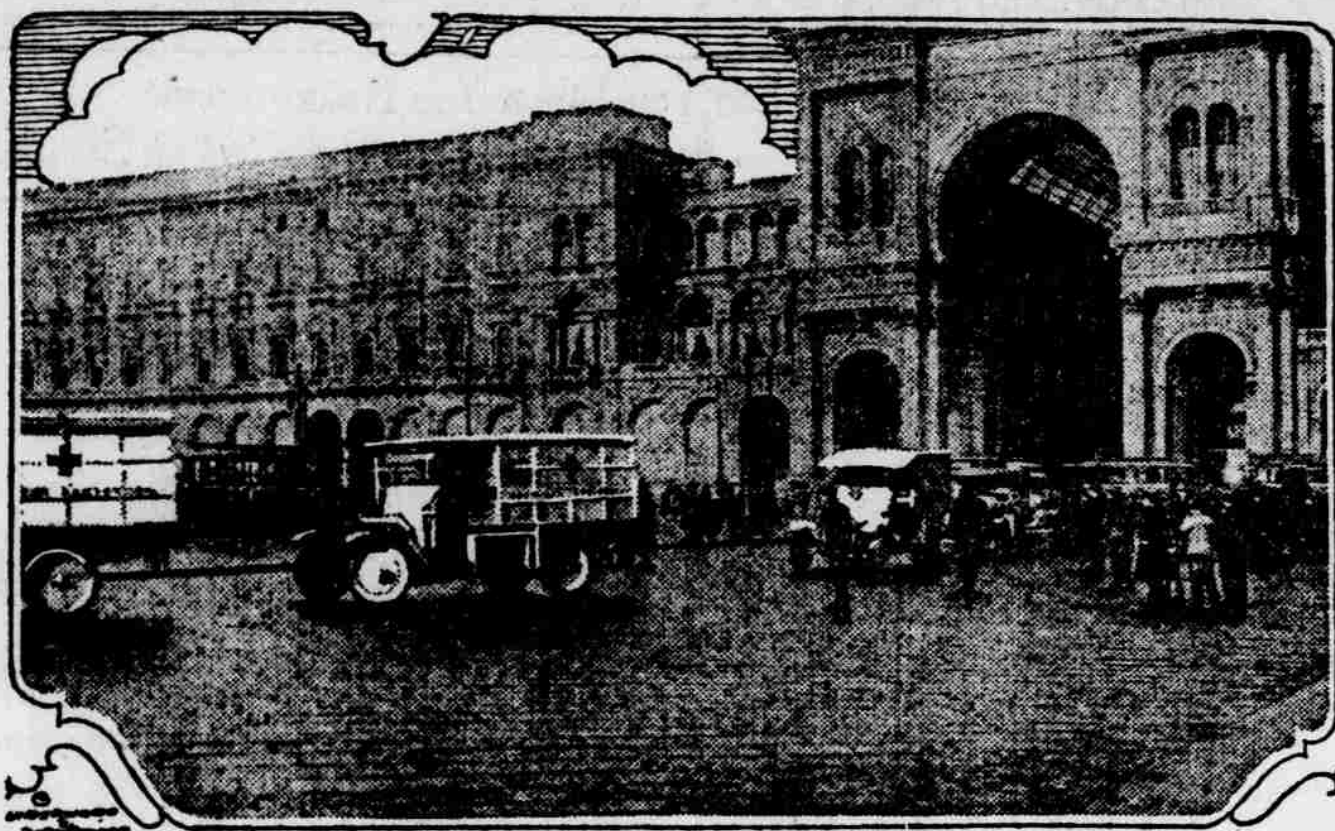
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AMERICAN AMBULANCES IN ITALY



Red Cross ambulances from U. S. crossing Milan street on way to front.

American Red Cross ambulances, sent to Italy when the cry for help went out to the allies after the recent retreat began, are now doing duty at the battlefield. The photo shows ambulances in Milan crossing the Piazza del Duomo on their way to the battlefield.



Red Cross Notes

Yarn for socks and helmets was received at the Red Cross rooms Friday by Miss Ann Nicholson, in charge of this department. Yarn for the sweaters has not arrived.

Forty-five members of the surgical dressing class met Friday morning at the Red Cross rooms.

Each week the members of the Junior Red Cross have articles which are sent with the regular weekly shipment to Indianapolis. Complete reports are made at the close of each month by Mrs. Frank Crichton in charge of the department.

Many women worked in the Red Cross rooms Friday making hospital garments, etc. Several electrical machines have been installed.

The Indiana State offices of the American Red Cross have been moved to 547 Lemcke Annex, 115 North Pennsylvania, Indianapolis. The telephone numbers are Bell phone, Main 6321 and Automatic, 25-456.

The Indianapolis Supply Depot of the American Red Cross has been moved to the fourth floor of the Marrot Dry Goods Store, 342 Massachusetts avenue. It is equipped for swift and efficient handling of the steadily increasing quantities of good shipped in to it. The telephone numbers are Bell phone, Circle 1536 and Automatic, 23-273.

Visiting Red Cross workers are invited to inspect the Supply Depot and become familiar with the scope of the work and methods by which prompt shipments are made to our soldiers and sailors wherever the need arises.

The Red Cross field representatives at the various cantonments are in steady communication with the Supply Depots and no soldier is overlooked if his claim is a worthy one and is approved by his commanding officer.

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"May Not Hear from Me Again," Writes Richmond Man, Now in France

Albert E. Bader, former Richmond street car conductor, who is now in France, in a letter to his father here, intimates that he is soon to see active service. The letter is dated Jan. 8. "You will probably not hear from me again for quite a while and may not at all," he says. "I hope I shall be among the lucky number who return but as to that we can never tell. I am pretty well and am doing as well as can be expected."

He thanks his father for several packages sent him.

COAL DEALERS POOL INTERESTS

EATON, O., Feb. 8.—Coal dealers of Preble county, acting upon a suggestion offered by the county fuel commission, have formed an organization, the object of which is to pool their interests in the purchase of coal, the plan being to employ a buyer to visit the mining districts and purchase coal at the mines.

Charles Glick, of Eaton, is chairman of the new organization; Harry Copp, West Alexandria, secretary and treasurer and C. S. Klopp, of Camden; H. H. Howell, of West Manchester, and Secretary-Treasurer Copp as an executive committee.

MUNCIE MAN ON BOARD

MUNCIE, Feb. 8.—Max Lipschitz, brother of Abraham Lipschitz, and member of 107th engineers, is thought by friends here to have been aboard the Tuscania, which was sunk off the coast of Ireland. His brother received a letter from him a few days ago, in which he said he was then preparing to sail.

650 ENTRIES FOR BOWLING TOURNEY

CINCINNATI, Feb. 8.—Secretary A. L. Langtry, of the American Bowling Congress, who has charge of the entry list for the international bowling tournament, which is to be held here from February 16 to March 30, announced today that a total of 650 entries had been received for the five-man team event. These included 509 teams from outside Cincinnati and 141 from Greater Cincinnati.

ASKS \$50,000 ALIMONY

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 8.—Marie E. Lindley today filed suit for a limited divorce from Donald R. Lindley, \$50,000 alimony and a temporary injunction to prevent Lindley from disposing of his interests in coal companies which Mrs. Lindley alleges are worth more than \$100,000. The Lindleys were married in Covington two years ago. Lindley is well known here.

To Finish College Course Started 16 Years Ago

OXFORD, O., Feb. 8.—Sixteen years after her graduation from the Western College for Women, Miss Mary Stuart Butler, of San Marcos, Tex., has re-entered the institution as a student. In June Miss Butler will receive her Bachelor of Arts degree which she didn't get in 1892.

You need not wait for Thrift Day to start your systematic saving of Thrift Stamps. The sooner you begin the more interest you will earn.

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"The Dirty Boches" Say Camp Taylor Soldiers

CAMP ZACHARY TAYLOR, Ky., Feb. 8.—Camp Taylor's dander is up following receipt of news of the sinking of the Tuscania and the probable loss of 101 American lives. Officers returning from the city to the camp brought the soldiers quartered here the first news of the Tuscania's fate. The report spread quickly to the various barracks buildings. The men, many of them half dressed, aroused by the talk of comrades who had remained awake, scrambled from their bunks and joined excited groups of Samuels gathered about the room and deciphering in the dim light the stupendous news in extras brought from town. To say that the men's fighting dander was up is to put it mildly. "The dirty boches," "Berlin or bust," and similar expressions were employed by the men to indicate their disgust of Teuton ruthlessness.

Washing Won't Rid Head of Dandruff

The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

Do this tonight, and by morning, most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop at once, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and never fails to do the work.—Adv.

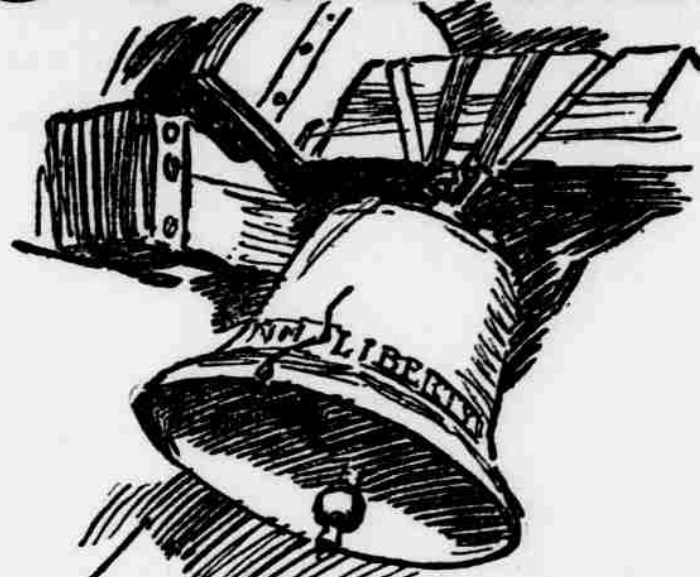
Mid-Month List

Columbia Records



Stracciari Sings "Pagliacci" Prologue

Artists have human hearts though they beat beneath tinsel and motley—that is the theme of Leoncavallo's "Pagliacci." Stracciari, celebrated baritone of the Chicago Opera, sings this radiant aria with a sympathetic sincerity that adds immeasurably to a voice of glorious power and beauty. 49180—\$1.50



"Liberty Bell, It's Time to Ring Again"

The title tells the story—a splendid, patriotic song with a quick-march melody snappily harmonized by the Peerless Quartette. The pealing of sweet-toned bells is woven into the chorus in a way that wins an encore every time. There's going to be a big run on this record—don't let them beat you to it. On the back, "Do Something," another inspiring patriotic melody, sung by Arthur Fields, the soldier baritone. A2473—75c

"I'll Take You Back to Italy"

The hit of "Jack O'Lantern"—the most popular song of the season's most popular musical comedy. This rollicking character-duet by Brice and King is a record that you must not miss. On the back, "My heart's in night in old New Hampshire," a good old-fashioned home song. Sung by Campbell and Burr. A2459—75c



"That's a Mother's Liberty Loan"

In homes where service flags are flying this song will surely make a hit. On the back, "There's a Green Hill Out in Flanders," a song of patriotic sacrifice. A2471—75c

Other Splendid Mid-Month Records

"Mama's in de cold, cold ground," by Lucy Gates. A6015—\$1.50

"Sally down our alley," fox trot, Jockers Brothers. A6016—\$1.25

"Calico," fox trot, Joseph C. Smith and his orchestra. A2460—75c

"Alexander's got a Jazz Band now," sung by Gene Green. A2472—75c

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